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Colonel Gary M. Griggs was born in Fort Campbell, Kentucky, in 1960. He graduated from Southwest Missouri State University in May 1982 and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Signal Corps. COL Griggs assumed the duties as the Chief of Staff, U.S. Army Signal Center and Fort Gordon on 29 July 2009.

Since his initial assignment at Fort Lewis, Washington as a Support Operations Officer in the 1st Forward Support Battalion and as a platoon leader in the 9th Signal Battalion, he has held a variety of command and staff positions in units throughout the world. He commanded B Co, 26th Signal Battalion, in Heilbronn, Germany, his staff assignments include: S-4 for the 26th Signal Battalion; Chief of the Academic Services Branch at the United States Military Academy; S-3 Plans officer and Corps Automations Officer for the 35th Signal Brigade, Fort Bragg, NC; Battalion S3 for 50th Signal Battalion, 35th Signal Brigade; Chief Computer Operations and Deputy Division Chief, EUCOM, Molesworth, UK; Professor of Military Science at Washington University, St. Louis MO; and most recently as the Chief Information Officer for the United States Military Academy.

His awards include the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal with three oak leaf clusters, the Army Commendation Medal with one oak leaf cluster, the Army Achievement Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, the Joint Meritorious Unit Award with 2 oak leaf clusters, the Overseas Ribbon, and the parachutist badge. His military education includes the Signal Basic and Advanced Courses, the Command and General Staff College, and the U.S. Army War College. He holds Masters' degrees in Information Systems Management and Strategic Studies.